

Claim #2 Harry Island

Claim No. 2.

Under Article 14 Treaty of 14th June 1866,
with Creek Indians.

The undersigned, Harry Island, ^{aged 40.} a Freedman
of the Creek Nation and Refugee, Loyal to the
United States, being duly examined and sworn,
(he understanding and conversing in the English
language) deposes and Says, that sometime in
the month of July 1862, he was residing on his
place on Cron Creek, North Fork District, Creek
Nation, and that, in consequence of the presence
of mixed bands of Indians and whites, rebels in
the confederate service, engaged in killing the
loyal freedmen of the Nation and destroying
their property, he was compelled to leave his home
in haste, and that the following specified articles
were abandoned by him: to Say:

Four (4) Horses,	valued at	\$ 230.00.
One (1) Two horse Wagon,	valued at	150.00.
Fifteen (15) Barrows. 2 years old.	" "	150.00.
Three (3) Feather Beds	" "	45.00
Two (2) Double Bedsteads	" "	30.00
Eight Blankets, 4 Pillows, 4 Sheets	" "	40.00
Poultry (about 100 head),	" "	10.00

making a total value of \$ 655.00
six hundred and fifty ^{five} dollars. And further
this deponent saith not.

Sworn to, and subscribed before me

at the Creek Agency, C.N. this 2nd day of November
A.D. 1869. —

[Signature]

1st Lieut. C. S. S. S.

Asst Supt Ind. Affs So. Sup. Tex.

Harry Island, his
X
mark

The undersigned Ned Dyle and
Jim Dyle both Freedmen, and loyal to the
United States, being jointly examined and sworn
(they, both, conversing in and understanding the
English language.) depose and say that they are
natives of the Creek Nation, and have no personal
interest whatever in the claim of the above Harry
Island: that, to their own knowledge, the above
affidant is true in every particular, and that the
affiant did at the time possess and own, and did
lose the articles of property enumerated in the above
affidant in the manner therein set forth. And
further this deponent saith not.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at
the Creek Agency, C.N. this 2nd of November
A.D. 1869.

Ned Dyle.

Jim Dyle.

his
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mark
his
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[Signature]

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Awards.

The loss of property specified above is deemed established by the accompanying testimony. - Also, the status of the claimant. The amount claimed, however, is considered excessive. - Upon inquiry, it is found that values of the different kinds of property at the time the loss occurred ruled as follows: -

Horses - Indian -

\$15.⁰⁰

Wagons - Two-horse - One-half claimed value -

Barrows - 2 year old - \$2.⁰⁰

Feather Beds -

Double Bedsteads -

Blankets -

Pillows -

Sheets -

One half the
claimed value

Poultry - claimed value \$10.⁰⁰

In consideration of these, and all other facts attainable, bearing upon the case, we believe it just and equitable to award this claimant Harry Deland, Two hundred and thirty two dollars and fifty cents -

\$232 ⁵⁰/₁₀₀

W. J. Hays

Brigadier Major General U. S. Army -

Supt. Indian Affairs, Southern Superintendency

F. A. Field

Captain U. S. Army.

Creek Agent.